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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

MEL ALLEN CUNNINGHAM,
Petitioner,

Civ. No. 08-96-CL

v.

DON MILLS,

ORDER

Respondent.

PANNER, District Judge:

Magistrate Judge Mark D. Clarke filed a Report and Recommendation, and the matter is now before this court. See 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B), Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b). Although no objections have been filed, this court reviews the legal principles *de novo*. See Lorin Corp. v Goto & Co., Ltd., 700 F.2d 1202, 1206 (9th Cir. 1983).

I have given this matter *de novo* review. I find no error. Accordingly, I ADOPT the Report and Recommendation of Magistrate Judge Clarke.

CONCLUSION

Magistrate Judge Clarke's Report and Recommendation (#26) is adopted. The Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus (#2) is dismissed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 10 day of March, 2010.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Owen M. Panner", is written over a horizontal line.

OWEN M. PANNER
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE